



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Application of: Kenneth B. Higgins

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For: Cushioned Carpet, Carpet Tile and Method

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In response to the Office Action of 13 June 2003, in order to place the application in condition for allowance or in better form for appeal, Applicants request entry and consideration of the following remarks. It is respectfully submitted that all remaining claims stand in condition for allowance. Accordingly, an action to that effect is requested at this time.